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DATE 3/9/2017 NEWS RELEASE

Missing Persons Endangered (AMBER ALERT)

Date: 3/9/2017 Time: 4:30 PM

Location: 300 Block of Chelsea, El Paso, TX 79903

Missing: 31-year old, Brenda Estrada, 300 block of Chelsea, El Paso TX, 79903

Height: 5'2, Hair: brown, Eyes: brown

Missing: 9-year old, Ashley Michelle Estrada, last seen wearing: white blouse shirt, blue jeans, and black

shoes.

Missing: 9-year old, Brandon Jesus Estrada, last seen wearing: blue jeans and gray shirt

Wanted: 29- year old, Miguel Angel Mendez, last seen wearing: green, fluorescent, long sleeve shirt, jeans, and

brown work boots

Vehicles: Green 4 door Acura with Texas Plates of HGV-4546

EL PASO, TEXAS: On March 9, 2017 at approximately 4:30 PM, Brenda Estrada and her two children were taken at gunpoint by her boyfriend (Miguel Angel Mendez) at the 300 block of Chelsea. Miguel Mendez and the victims were last seen leaving the area in a Green 4 door Acura bearing TX HGV4546. Miguel Mendez has violent tendencies and is considered armed and dangerous. Mendez is believed to be in possession of an unknown black handgun. Brenda Estrada is 4 months pregnant and was last seen wearing black sweat pants, black sweater, and white tennis shoes. Brenda Estrada is in company of her two children, 9-year old Brandon Jesus Estrada and 9-year old Ashley Michelle Estrada. Crimes Against Persons Detective are asking if anyone has information or knows the location of any party that is listed to please contact Police immediately at 832-4400. Note: At this time Miguel Mendez is wanted for Assault only that occurred on March 8, 2017. Brenda Estrada was the victim of that assault. Aggravated Kidnapping warrants forthcoming. Release will be updated once warrants are obtained.

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